

## THE GAZETTE.

TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 10.

**GAME LAW.**—When the Legislature of Maryland meets again there will be an effort made by the true sportsmen to pass such an amendment of the game laws as will prevent the utter destruction or driving away of the water fowl from Chesapeake Bay and its affluents. It is alleged that the bay and rivers running into it being the natural habitat of large numbers of water fowl in winter, as it supplies them with unsurpassed feeding places, there would be an abundance of game found, if they were not driven away by unsportsmanlike devices. The law to prevent wholesale destruction limits the season during which game may be killed, but this is not sufficient, and now it is proposed to have such a change in the law as will abolish the artificial blinds that from natural points are made to project a hundred yards or more out into the water, and also forbid the use of decoys on the land. So numerous have these artificial blinds become that the ducks can find no safe feeding place and are being all driven away. If there is not some legal protection given in the manner asked, the canvas-backs and other famous game birds will all be driven southward to the streams of Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina. At particular points they are still plenty but their number bears no comparison with what it was ten or fifteen years ago. During the present week ducks were plenty at Lynnh's but shooters few. At Rocky Point, Burnettson and one or two other sportsmen have killed a hundred canvas-backs and a number of others this week. —*Baltimore American.*

## CITY ITEMS.

**TEETH IN RUINS** are a sure drawback on personal appearance and personal comfort. Therefore keep them in good repair with that established antidote for all the diseases that assail them, FRANK'S TOOTH PASTE. —*dec 9-eolw*

**FINE WOOLENS** by the yard, to consumers or to the trade. Sales room on second floor, entrance through the store. One Price only. —*dec 9-eolw*

**1.40 UMBRELLA.** My wife and I both are dry with our —*dec 9-eolw*

**1.40 UMBRELLA.** This Umbrella is positively waterproof and will not fade. For sale by —*dec 9-eolw*

**I. Schwartz & Co.,** —*at the—*

**SAREPTA CLOTHING HALL,**

89 King street.

N. B.—We are also in receipt of an immense stock of Umbrellas from the late Boston firm, among which are many fine Serge, Alpaca and Scotch Ginghams, and lower grades, which we sell from 50c upwards.

**I. Schwartz & Co.,**

**SAREPTA CLOTHING HALL,**

dec 6 89 King street.

**SPECIAL NOTICE—GENTS' EXTRA FINE BOOTS AND SHOES.**—We have just received a fresh supply of Gents' Extra Fine, hand-stitched Boots, Shoes and Slippers, of every description, which we unhesitatingly recommend to be the very best on sale in the city.

**W. B. WADSWORTH,**

74 King street, Alexandria, Va.

**LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S BOOTS AND SHOES.**—We are this day receiving a full line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Boots and Shoes, suitable for fall and winter use, embracing all of the styles now in use, which we confidently believe to be the very best stock in the city. We solicit purchasers to call and examine for themselves, as they will be sold at low prices. —*oct 3*

**W. B. WADSWORTH,**

74 King street, Alexandria, Va.

**SPRING TRADE.**

**NEW MUSICAL GOODS.**

Just received a new assortment of fine double and single reed GERMAN ACCORDIONS—the same that have given so much satisfaction.

More of these **BEAUFORT VIOLINS**, from \$2.50 to \$4.00, of good tone; Guitars, Violin Bows, Harmoniums, Jew Harps, fine Banjos of my own make, and everything usually found in a regular Music store.

I desire to call attention to my large assortment of Violin and Guitar Strings, of my own importation; better in quality and cheaper than any offered heretofore, comprising genuine Italian, French and German Strings, at wholesale and retail.

Always on hand fine new and second-hand PIANOS for sale or rent.

Smith's superior Parlor and Church Organs. I am agent for Wm. Knabe & Co.'s Splendid Pianos, offering them for sale at factory prices, and on accommodating terms usual in other cities.

**SHEET MUSIC**, new and popular, a select stock always on hand. I will supply any Music published upon being furnished with the correct name of the piece and composer thereof. The music discount to teachers and schools.

All kinds of Musical Instruments repaired, tuned, packed, &c.

Terms always cash, with the exception of those mutually agreed upon for Pianos and Organs. —*ap 4-tf*

**V. BECKER.**

**BOARDING.**

Mrs. A. W. C. WALLER

Has opened a comfortable

**BOARDING HOUSE,**

No. 58 Prince st.

formerly kept by Mrs. Carter. This house has been put in thorough repair, and is supplied with every convenience for the comfort of guests. Transient as well as permanent boarders accommodated.

References: Rev. G. H. Norton, D.D., Rev. R. H. McKim, Mr. H. B. Hoopes, Mr. James Green, Col. M. D. Ball. —*nov 13-1m*

**CHRIST CHURCH PARSONAGE FOR SALE.**

The Wards will sell, at private sale, the above property, situated at the northeast corner of Washington and Prince streets. It is now in good condition, and will be offered at auction, of which due notice will be given. The property will be subdivided or sold entire. —*dec 2-2wlm*

**E. C. FLETCHER,**

**R. JOHNSTON,**

Wardens.

**NOTICE—THE BOARD OF COUNTY SUPERVISORS** will meet at the Court House on MONDAY, the 10th inst. All parties having claims against the county are hereby notified to present them that day properly authenticated. —*dec 2-1w*

**W. A. ROWE,**

Chairman of the Board.

**HANDKERCHIEFS FOR LADIES.**

Handkerchiefs for Children, Handkerchiefs for Gentlemen, Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, Corded Bordered Handkerchiefs, Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs and Black Edged Handkerchiefs—all at very low prices at —*dec 6*

**ROBT. L. WOOD'S.**

**AGRICULTURAL LIME.**

6,000 bushels WOOD-BURNED SHELL LIME, an excellent Fertilizer, for sale in lots to suit, by —*sep 19*

**SHINN & CO.,**

13 Union st.

**FOR SALE—**

**A TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSE,** containing four rooms and a kitchen. Will be sold very low for cash. Apply —*nov 28-eolw*

**THOMAS HOY,**

Corner King and Pitt streets.

**GLYCERINE HAIR TONIC**—A delightful and fragrant dressing for the hair, promoting its growth and keeping it soft and smooth. Price fifty cents per bottle. Prepared and for sale only by —*dec 9*

**JANNEY & CO.**

**VESSEL WANTED.**

Vessel wanted of from 400 to 500 tons burden, to load for the north side of Cuba. Dispatch given. —*nov 22*

**W. A. SMOOT.**

## AUCTION SALES.

**PUBLIC SALE.**—In consequence of the death of one of the proprietors, there is to be sold at public auction, at the residence of the subscriber, at "Cedar Grove," near Accotink, Virginia, on MONDAY, the 23rd of December, 1872, at 10 o'clock a. m., the personal property owned by the estate, consisting of about THIRTY HEAD OF CATTLE, five Horses, one Mule, a lot of Sows and Grade Essex Pigs, one thoroughbred Essex Boar. Also an extensive lot of Wagons, Carts and Implements of every description; Corn, Fodder, Straw, Turnips, Potatoes, Vinegar, &c., &c.

Terms: Six months' credit, with interest and appraisals, upon all sums of \$20 and upwards; under that amount, cash. —*dec 9-2w*

**W. GILLINGHAM.**

**VALUABLE DAIRY AND TRUCK FARM FOR SALE.**—At the request of the owner, I offer for sale the Dairy and Truck Farm "EDGELEY." This property is situated on one mile northwest of the Court House, and contains 242 acres. There is a FRAME DWELLING 16x36, containing four rooms, a basement; stable and barn 45x25; a splendid well of water in the yard, with a never failing stream of water running through the place. The close proximity to the city and quality of the soil make it a very desirable one. If not disposed of before the 28th instant, it will be offered at auction on that day (SATURDAY) at 11 o'clock, at the Market House. For terms and other information apply to —*dec 6-eolw*

**ROBERT BELL, Jr.,**

at the Postoffice.

**By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.**

**COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY.**—In execution of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, rendered on the 24th day of November, 1870, in the suit of Charles Alexander and others against John B. Alexander, the undersigned, will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of Green's Manufactory, in the city of Alexandria, on SATURDAY, the 16th day of November, 1872, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described LOTS in the city of Alexandria, viz:

1. A SQUARE OF TWO ACRES, bounded by Wythe, Madison, Patrick and Henry streets.

2. THREE-FOURTHS OF THE SQUARE, on the west side of Wythe, bounded by Wythe, Madison, Fayette and Payne streets; the other fourth of the square lying on the north side of Wythe and east side of Payne street, and belonging to the estate of Gustavus B. Alexander, and inserted in the schedule of the city of Alexandria.

3. A SQUARE OF TWO ACRES, bounded by Pendleton, Wythe, Fayette and Payne streets.

4. AN ACRE, OR HALF SQUARE, on the south side of Madison street, extending from Payne to West street.

5. A LOT, bounded on the east by Payne st., on the west by Conway's line, between Pendleton and Wythe streets, containing 11 acres.

6. A QUARTER OF A SQUARE, OR HALF AN ACRE, on the west side of Payne st. and north side of Cameron, at the intersection of said streets.

Terms of Sale: One-third of the purchase-money to be paid in cash; the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve months from the day of sale; the deferred payments to bear interest and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, and a retention of title and forfeiture of cash payment for failure to comply with the terms of sale, and the property to be resold upon such failure at the risk of the purchaser. Conveyances to be made at the cost of the purchasers.

**LAWRENCE B. TAYLOR,**

**ROBERT L. JOHNSTON,**

**WM. C. YEATON,**

Commissioners.

The above sale has been postponed until SATURDAY, December 21, at 12 m., at the same place. —*nov 16-2wts*

**DRY GOODS.**

**MILLINERY, FANCY & HAIR GOODS.**

I would call the attention of the ladies to my assortment of MILLINERY GOODS of every description, which is still complete, and will be sold very cheap. Cambrie and Lace Edgings and Insertings also New Edgings and Insertings. Also have just received direct from New York a fine lot of HAIR GOODS, consisting of Real Hair Wishes, Coronet Plaits in Hair and Thread, Finger Puffs, Curis, &c.; also Thread and Jute Chignons, Hair Bands and Jute Switches—all of which will be sold below the regular prices for cash. Call and see them at —*nov 25*

**Mrs. C. L. SIMPSON'S,**

No. 125 King street,

Near Wash. depot.

**CLASSIFIERS SUITINGS AND OVERCOATINGS.**

Received this morning a very large addition to our stock of the above, some of them at greatly reduced prices.

**GRAY AND BROWN CHEVIGOTS,** of which we can furnish a very handsome business suit for \$26—a great bargain. Call and see them at —*nov 22*

**WITMER & SLAYMAKER'S.**

**BROCKE SHAWLS.**

The attention of the ladies is specially called to our elegant and elegant stock of BROCKE SHAWLS this day received from New York. Prices as follows: \$25, \$35, \$45, \$50, \$75, \$100, \$125 and \$150. —*nov 2*

**HOOMES & ASHBY.**

**CARD.**—I take pleasure in informing my friends and the public that I have made an arrangement with Mr. Wm. R. Riley, No. 715, opposite Centre Market, Washington, D. C., to have the pleasure of showing you an elegant assortment of FIRST-CLASS DRY GOODS. Our stock is at all times very large and complete, and I feel confident in asking your patronage that I can make it to your interest to deal with me. I will sell at low cash prices. As my position will in some measure depend upon the amount of trade I can bring to the house, your kind notice of this will be duly appreciated by —*nov 9-CD25*

**WM. ALEXANDER,**

Alexandria, Va.

**NEW GOODS.**—Cheap Collars for ladies, another supply, beautiful, cheap; a splendid stock of Balmoral Skirts; Corsets, all sizes and qualities, also little girls' Corsets, a new article; Hoop Skirts; Merino Underwear; Children's Merino Skirts, just out, all sizes; superior Brown, Brown and Black, with a full stock of Cloth, Flannels, Domestic, Housekeeping Goods, Ladies' Dress Goods, &c. —*nov 14*

**ROBT. L. WOOD.**

**HAY, B. HOOMES,**

Late of Fredericksburg.

**W. A. ASHBY,**

Late of Baltimore.

**NEW STORE.**

We have opened and now offer for sale to the citizens of Alexandria and the public generally, at our newly fitted up store, corner of King and Pitt streets, one of the largest and most attractive stocks of

**FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,**

**NOTIONS, &c.**

ever offered in this market. Our stock has been selected with a view to suit the wants and tastes of the entire community, embracing, as it does, goods of every variety of style and fabric, and at all prices. We ask an examination of our stock. Respectfully —*nov 14*

**HOOMES, ASHBY & CO.,**

109 cor. King and Pitt sts.

Salesmen—Eli H. Janney, Edwin W. Jett, W. A. Lane, R. Stuart Ashby.

**PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION.**—We would again call the attention of our customers and the public generally to this invaluable Cough Remedy. We have never before sold a Proprietary Medicine that has given such great and universal satisfaction. We have received strong testimonials from some of our best known citizens, who decline to let their names appear in print, but whose names can be ascertained at our store. Price one dollar per bottle, or six bottles for five dollars. The trade supplied at Proprietor's lowest rates. We are shipping in large quantities to distant points as Charleston, Savannah and Mobile. —*dec 6*

**JANNEY & CO.,**

No. 145 King st.

**TO THE LOVERS OF THE FINE ARTS.**

The largest and most elegant and best selected assortment of

**PINE CHROMOS**

AND

**ENGLISH ENGRAVINGS**

ever offered in this city—selected with great care. A choice selection of PICTURE FRAMES in stock and made to order.

New and beautiful WALL PAPERS, WINDOW SHADES, CORDONS, CURTAINS, &c., at —*nov 26*

**J. P. CLARKE'S,**

No. 158 King street.

**SHAWLS AND CLOTHES.**

We have a full assortment of the above, which we are selling cheap. —*nov 28*

**WITMER & SLAYMAKER.**

## COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

**J. C. MILBURN,**

Wholesale and Retail

**GROCER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,**

NEW STORE,

No. 19 North Royal st., and cor. Market alley, Alexandria, Va.

The proximity of this store to the Market House, "the centre of trade," will enable me to obtain good prices for Flour, Grain and Country Produce consigned to my care.

Consignments and orders for Groceries respectfully solicited. They will receive careful and prompt attention. —*oct 26-4f*

**D. D. GOULD & WILKENING,**

(Successors to W. F. Henderson.)

**GROCERY, LIQUOR & GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.**

No. 30 North Royal st., Alexandria, Va.

Dealers in GROCERIES, TEAS, COFFEES, SUGARS, CIDER, VINEGAR, RACON, WHISKY, BRANDY, WINES, SCOTCH ALE, PORTER, &c.

Also, Eastern and Potomac SHAD, HERRING and MACKEREL.

Choice brands of SEGARS and TOBACCO always on hand.

CLOVER and TIMOTHY SEED. A large invoice of GRASSES just received.

Strict attention paid to the sale of COUNTRY PRODUCE. —*mh 26-4f*

**W. A. SMOOT,**

DEALER IN

**SALT, COAL AND PLASTER,**

**SMOOT'S WHARF,**

(Foot of Princess st.)

—*feb 21-4f*

Alexandria, Virginia.

**R. M. LAWSON,**

(Successor to Brewis & Lawson.)

**GROCER & COMMISSION MERCHANT,**

Nos. 67 and 69 Cameron street, Alexandria, Va.

Orders and consignments solicited. —*feb 13*

**HOOE & JOHNSTON,**

(Successors to Fowle & Co.)

**NO. 2 PRINCE STREET.**

**GENERAL COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANTS.**

Dealers in all kinds of

**FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER**

Agents of the

**NEW YORK STEAMSHIPS.**

Also of the

**LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.**

—*feb 5-tf*

**J. NO. T. HENDERSON & CO.**

**GENERAL PRODUCE & COMMISSION MERCHANTS**

No. 8 South Union street, Alexandria, Virginia.

Plaster, Gypsum, Fish, &c., furnished at lowest market prices. Highest market prices guaranteed for Grain and Produce, and prompt returns. —*aug 2-1y*

**F. G. SWAINE,**

**GROCER & COMMISSION MERCHANT,**

No. 22 North Royal street, Alexandria, Va.

On hand and for sale a well selected stock of GROCERIES.

Consignments of GRAIN, COUNTRY PRODUCE, &c., respectfully solicited. Strict attention paid to sales, and prompt returns guaranteed. —*fy 18-4f*

**THOMAS PERRY,**

**GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT**

AND AGENT FOR

**MAGNUM BONUM AND BAUGH'S**

**RAW BONE PHOSPHATE,**

No. 17 King street, Alexandria, Va.

Particular attention given to the sale of all kinds of Country Produce, and filling orders for Guano, Plaster, Farming Implements, Seeds, Groceries, Fish, Salt, Lime, &c., at lowest market rates. —*aug 31-4f*

**GEORGE WASHINGTON,**

**WASHINGTON & HERBERT,**

(Successors to Geo. Washington.)

**GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,**

No. 11 North Union st., Alexandria, Va.

Particular attention given to the sale of all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, SEEDS, PLASTER, FISH, SALT, LIME, &c., at lowest market prices. —*feb 1-4f*

**SHINN & CO.,**

(Successors to Samuel Hartley.)

**GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS**

No. 13 Union street, Alexandria, Va.

Particular attention paid to the sale of FLOUR, GRAIN and all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, PLASTER, SEEDS, &c., &c., at the lowest market rates.

Agents for the sale of James S. Welch's celebrated brand of FAMILIAR FLOUR.

Agents for the sale of the "ROUND TOP HYDRAULIC CEMENT."

—*jan 5-4f*

**J. BROD**